

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

Claims Listing:

1 – 13. (Cancelled)

14. (Currently amended) A method for implementation by a computer comprising:
in one screen, providing both an interface to a workflow system for performing a selected workflow and an interface to a collaboration system, said interface enabling information about a current instance of said selected workflow to pass between said workflow system and said collaboration system such that ~~within which~~ actors of a said current instance of a selected workflow can collaborate in said collaboration system for said workflow.

15. (Original) A method according to claim 14 and wherein said actors comprise at least one of the following: workflow actors and external actors.

16. (Original) A method according to claim 14 and also comprising notifying at least one workflow actor that a work item is waiting for him/her to act upon.

17. (Original) A method according to claim 16 and wherein said notifying comprises producing a hyperlink to said awaiting work item.

18. (Original) A method according to claim 14 and also comprising accumulating correspondences of said actors when performing said current instance of said selected workflow.

19. (Original) A method according to claim 18 and wherein said accumulating comprises sending a hyperlink to a location where a workflow actor may process a work item.

20. (Original) A method according to claim 18 and wherein said accumulating comprises transferring control of a work item from a first workflow actor to a second workflow actor.

21. (Original) A method according to claim 14 and wherein said providing comprises providing a contact list of at least of some of said actors to said collaboration system.

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22. (Original) A method according to claim 21 and wherein said second providing comprises activating a staff resolution component of said workflow system to determine said actors for said current workflow.

23. (Previously Amended) A method according to claim ~~24~~ 22 and wherein said activating comprises selecting a portion of said actors according to a current work item to be performed.

24 – 33. (Cancelled)

34. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 14 and wherein said providing comprises providing a support interface per support application, wherein said support application supports said performing of said work of said selected workflow.

35. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 14 and wherein each said interface includes a portlet.

36. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 34 and wherein said support interface includes a portlet.

37. (Currently Amended) A method implementable by a computer comprising:

in ~~one~~ a same screen of the computer, providing both an interface to a workflow system for performing a selected workflow and an interface to a collaboration system within which any actor of a current instance of a selected workflow can collaborate with any other actor of said instance;
within said workflow system, enabling said actors to be defined; and
providing a list of said actors of a current instance of a selected workflow to
said collaboration system.

38. (Cancelled)

39. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 37 and wherein said actors comprise at least one of the following: workflow actors and external actors.

40. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 37 and also comprising notifying at least one workflow actor that a work item is waiting for him/her to act upon.

41. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 40 and wherein said notifying comprises producing a hyperlink to said awaiting work item.
42. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 37 and also comprising accumulating correspondences of said actors when performing said current instance of said selected workflow.
43. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 42 and wherein said accumulating comprises sending a hyperlink to a location where a workflow actor may process a work item.
44. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 42 and wherein said accumulating comprises transferring control of a work item from a first workflow actor to a second workflow actor.
45. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 37 and wherein said providing comprises activating a staff resolution component of said workflow system to determine said actors for said current workflow.
- 45 46. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 44 and wherein said activating comprises selecting a portion of said actors according to a current work item to be performed.
47. (New) A method according to claim 14 and also comprising
 receiving data of said current instance and a list of current actors from said
 workflow system; and
 providing said list to said collaboration system.